

Remarks

Applicant wishes to thank Examiner Eired for the courtesies extended to his attorney in an interview which took place on February 8, 2005, record of which was made in the examiner's Interview Summary such that it was not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview.

In view of the above amendments and the examiner's Interview Summary, it is believed that the claims are in condition for allowance. Reconsideration of the application and allowance of the claims are respectfully requested.

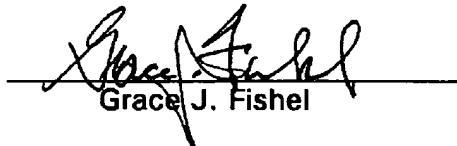
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